IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Scott Costa et al.

§ ART UNIT: 3676

SERIAL No.: 10/511,410 §

FOR: Protective Sleeve For \$ Threaded Connections For \$

Expandable Tubular Liner § CONFIRMATION No.: 6688

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 10, 2007

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents Atty. Dkt. No.: 2725-10105 P.O. Box 1450 Date: April 10, 2008

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants acknowledge receipt of the Office Action dated December 10, 2007, and request that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

A Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

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